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FSU STUDENTS REGISTER -- Hundreds of Fayetteville State University students registered in late August for the fall term at FSU. This academic year is expected to be one of the best ever for Fayetteville State.

Chancellor Lyons Says:

FSU NEEDS \$10 MILLION IN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

The University will need more than \$10 million in capital improvements in the next biennium, Chancellor Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., told the North Carolina Advisory Budget Commission during their recent visit here.

"Over the past several years we have charted a course for this institution characterized by growth and service," said Chancellor Lyons. "Its course and direction in the future will obviously be determined by the master plan of the University of North Carolina of which this institution is now a part. Whatever the details of the plan, I suspect that we will still be in the business of educating North Carolinians for service in North Carolina -- in business and industry, education, government and social service."

He added that "the accelerated increase in enrollment, the phasing in of the Fort Bragg program, the movement to a year round calendar and movement now to develop a comprehensive continuing education and community service program, we believe, provide ample justification to support our requests."

Fayetteville State listed a \$3,290,000 science building as their number one priority. "We have listed a new science

building as our number one priority for several reasons: (1) our current science facilities are already inadequate, (2) the projected high percentage increase in enrollment on the main campus, (3) the need to provide adequate facilities to offer science instructions to our growing military student population resulting from our assumption of administrative responsibility for the undergraduate program at Fort Bragg - Pope, and (4) the rapid expansion of our science program," Dr. Lyons continued.

Also high on the requested capital improvements' list were \$165,000 to renovate the J. W. Seabrook Auditorium, \$630,000 addition to the Rudolph Jones Student Center, and \$186,000 for the Administration Building.

Chancellor Lyons asked the Advisory Budget Commission for \$1,495,000 to construct a 10,000 seat varsity stadium. This facility would have permanent seats, storage facilities and offices. The physical education, physical fitness, recreation, intramural and varsity sports program will also use this facility.

Among the other large requests were \$1,250,000 for a residence hall for 250 men and \$1,580,000 for a business administration computer center building.

Also requested were a biology greenhouse (\$90,000), and land acquisition (\$750,000) underground irrigation system (\$75,000), Chancellor's residence (\$90,000), air condition Taylor Science Building (\$71,000), women's gymnasium (\$41,000), Lilly Gymnasium (\$32,000), athletic field improvement (\$130,000), new tennis courts (\$58,000), renovation of four dormitories (\$425,000), air condition Spaulding Infirmary (\$35,000), landscaping (\$28,000), installation of master water meter, east campus (\$7,500) and air-condition H. L. Cook Dining Hall (\$64,000).

"Finally, may I say that we

see the need for the development here of a comprehensive university offering the breadth depth and quality of educational services indicted to meet the needs of the people of one of the largest and fastest growing metropolitan areas....

FSU ENROLLMENT UP 300%

The 1972 summer school enrollment at FSU grew more than 300 percent compared to a similar period in 1969, according to Dr. H. M. Eldridge, director of FSU summer sessions.

During the University's final six week session, 659 enrollees propelled the total enrollment to a record 1,736 students for the 12-week period ending August 11. The summer session featured undergraduate courses and special programs for in-service teachers and professionals desiring to enrich their careers said Dr. Eldridge.

AIR FORCE ROTC OFFERED

During registration recently you may have noticed that Fayetteville State University has expanded its academic program to include the Air Force Reserve Officers Corps.

The ROTC program has been fully implemented into the university's curriculum, according to Capt. Walter E. Davis, acting director, Air Force ROTC Detachment here.

The program got under way here this summer when seven Fayetteville State students enrolled in the Air Force ROTC Summer Encampment, Franklin Melvin and Ronnie Smith, juniors, were enrolled in programs at Gunter Air Force Base, Montgomery, Ala. and Forbes Air Force Base, Topeka, Kan., respectively, said Davis.

Five other students completed a six week ROTC program earlier at Gunter Air Force Base he said. They were Conrith Davis, Bernard

Governor Scott To Speak At Fayetteville State University Convocation

FAYETTEVILLE - Governor Robert W. Scott will deliver the main address in a special Convocation at the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium on Sunday, October 15, at 2:00 p.m.

According to Fayetteville State University's Chancellor, Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr. the Governor will be awarded the honorary degree, Doctor of Laws.

Governor Scott successfully led the campaign to restructure higher education in North Carolina and now all public senior institutions of higher learning are under the University of North Carolina System.

The Convocation will convene at 2:00 p.m. in the Cumberland County Memorial Auditorium (located on highway 301, South).

Established in 1877, Fayetteville State University is the second oldest state-supported institution in North Carolina and will be conferring the first honorary degree in its long and illustrious history.

Governor Scott is a graduate of North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina. He holds membership in many state and national organizations. Some of his memberships include the North Carolina and American Societies of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers; North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation; North Carolina State Grange, Master, 1961-63; President, North Carolina Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers, 1957; Member of the State Board

of Conservation and Development, 1961-1964; North Carolina Seashore Commission, 1962-1964.

In 1959, along with Mrs. Scott, they were chosen National Grange "Young Couple of the Year". The Governor is a member of Burlington-Alamance County Chamber of Commerce; Haw River Junior Chamber of Commerce; Soil Conservation Society of America; North Carolina Literary and Historical Association; and Past Chairman, United Forces for Education in North Carolina.

Governor Scott holds membership in the following honorary societies: Alpha Zeta; Phi Kappa Phi; and Blue Key.

He was elected Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina November 3, 1964 and elected Governor of North Carolina, November 5, 1968.

Governor Scott is a veteran of the United States Army, having served from 1953-1955 as a Special Agent, Counter Intelligence Corps.

He was elected Chairman, Southern Regional Education Board (SREB), 1970 - 1971; Elected Member, Executive Committee of National Governors Conference, 1970-1971; and Member, Steering Committee, Educational Commission of the States, 1970-1971.

Married to the former Jessie Rae Osborne, he is a member of Hawfields Presbyterian Church. The Governor and his wife are the parents of five children. They are: Mary Ella Scott and Margaret Rose Scott (twins); Susan Rae Scott; W. Kerr Scott and Janet Louise Scott.



CHANCELLOR vs. THE CHAMP -- Fayetteville State University Chancellor, Dr. Charles "A" Lyons, Jr., seems to be landing a solid blow to heavyweight champion "Smoking" Joe Frazier. Luckily, the Champ blocked the blow and there was no damage. Frazier was in Fayetteville for a Sickle Cell Anemia Benefit Dance and Dinner held at the Downtowner Inn at Fayetteville. Frazier predicted that he would not lose his crown in the rematch with Ali.

SGA Sponsors Swim Marathon For Sickle Cell Anemia

Fayetteville State University's Student Government Association will hold a Swim Marathon, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 29 - 30, James Hudson, Chairman, Special Projects Committee, announced recently.

According to Hudson, this is the first such event to be sponsored on the Fayetteville State

University campus and it will benefit the fight against Sickle Cell Anemia.

"The students at Fayetteville State University want to do all they can in this fight against Sickle Cell Anemia," Hudson said. "And by holding this marathon we can provide



MISS FSU -- Bronco Beauty Terecia Melvin, a senior English major from Roseboro, will reign as Miss FSU during the 1972-73 academic year. The lovely lady pauses between her classes to oblige the lens of the camera.

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